

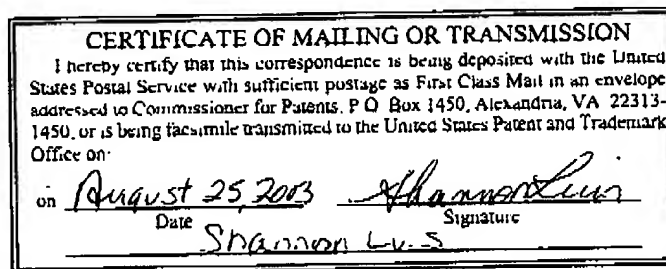
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Application No.: 09/522,752 Group Art Unit: 1644
Filed: March 10, 2000 Examiner: J. Roark, Ph.D.
Confirmation No.: 4925
Title: METHODS OF INHIBITING GPR-9-6 FUNCTION (As Amended)



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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

The undersigned thanks the Examiner for discussing this case by telephone on August 25, 2003. During that conference, the Examiner indicated that the Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement (SIDS) filed on July 31, 2003 was not in the PTO file for the subject application.

Transmitted herewith are copies of the Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement, PTO Form-1449, and references AC and AN cited therein, that were filed on July 31, 2003. A copy of the postcard receipt date stamped by the PTO indicating these papers and a check for \$180 were received in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on July 31, 2003 is also provided.

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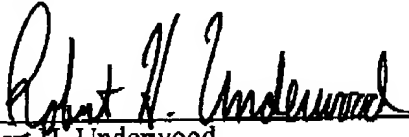
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Consideration of the information provided in the SIDS filed on July 31, 2003 is requested.
Authorization is hereby granted to charge any fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 08-0380.

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Sir:

This Information Disclosure Statement is submitted:

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- ☐ No item of information contained in this Information Disclosure Statement was cited in a communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign application, and, to the knowledge of the undersigned, after making reasonable inquiry, no item of information contained in the information disclosure statement was known to any individual designated in 37 CFR 1.56(c) more than three months prior to the filing of this Information Disclosure Statement.

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- ☒ Enclosed herewith is form PTO-1449:
 - ☒ Copies of the cited references (AC and AN) are enclosed.
 - ☐ Copies of cited references are enclosed except those entered in prior application, U.S. Application No. [], to which priority under 35 U.S.C. 120 is claimed. [The earlier application contains copies of the cited references.]
 - ☐ The listed references were cited in the enclosed International Search Report in a counterpart foreign application.
 - ☐ The "concise explanation" requirement (non-English references) for reference(s) [] under 37 CFR 1.98(a)(3) is satisfied by:
 - ☐ the explanation provided on the attached sheet.
 - ☐ the explanation provided in the Specification.
 - ☐ submission of the enclosed International Search Report.
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☐ Applicant requests that the following non-published pending applications be considered:

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The Examiner is requested to return a copy of the above list of pending applications indicating which references were considered with the next office communication.

It is requested that the information disclosed herein be made of record in this application.

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